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New Post Office Here Is Mentioned At Baker Hearing

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WASHINGTON, Dec. 3 — The
Buffalo postal facility on Williams St. was mentioned at the
Senate's Bobby Baker hearings
today in the course of a heated
exchange between Senator Williams (R., Del.) and the Senate
Rules Committee's special counsel, Lennox P. McLendon.

Mr. McLendon had accused Senator Williams of lying when the senator said he had suggested to the committee counsel that he investigate contracts awarded to Matthew H. McCloskey, Washington builder, other than that for the controversial D. C. Stadium.

In this connection, Senator Williams said he had spoken of a contract for construction of a building in Washington.

The senator suggested that Mr. McLendon had not been listening during a closed committee session at which the CIA building was mentioned. He recalled that he had referred also to McCloskey projects in Buffalo, Indianapolis, Boston and Connecticut.

The Buffalo post office dedicated in October, was built under a 30-year basic lease contract by McCloskey & Co. of Philadelphia. The cost was \$10,-810,000 and the annual rent is \$958,479.